D.—Number of Applications for Patents during the year ending the 31st December, 1890.

Number of Provis	ional Specifications ved.	Number of Complete S first in	Total.	
New Zealand. 109	Foreign. 58	New Zealand. 243	Foreign.	614

E.—Number of Applications to register Trade-mark during the twelve months ending 31st December, 1890.

$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Number of Class.	Number of Applica- tions received.	Number registered.	Number of Class.	Number of Applica- tions received.	Number registered.
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If the columns were totalled they will show an excess of the actual numbers—which are, applications 160, registrations 136—as some applications include two or more classes. It will, of course, be borne in mind that, as no trade-mark can be registered until two months after the application has been gazetted, the numbers shown as registered have yet to be augmented.

F.-Number and Nature of Letters Patent applied for in New Zealand during the year 1890.

Nature of Invention.		Number of Applications.	Nature of Invention.		Applications.	Nature of Invention.		Number of Applications.
Advertising	<b></b>	4	Bricks		2	Concentrating-machine		1
Alarms		1	Brooms and brushes .	.   8	3	Condensers		1
Amalgamating		8	Buckle		1	Cooling		3
Anchors		1	Butter-boxes		5	Corks, making		1
Aquatic amusement		1	Butter-making		1	Corrugated iron		1
Artificial birds		1	Butter-moulds		1	Corset		1
Astronomy		1	Butter-packing		2	Couplings		. 3
Axes		1	Button		1	Cow-sucking stopper		1
Baby-jumper		1	Canals, &c		1	Cradle-rocker		1
Batteries, galvanic		1	Calculating devices		3	Cramps		1
Batteries, secondary		1	Candlesticks		1	Cranes	••	1
Belts		3	Cartridges		2	Crushing-mills	• •	1
Beater, grass-seed	••	1	Castings		$1 \parallel$	Curing fish	• •	2
Beds	•••	1	Castors		1	Cutlery	••	1
Bellows	• •	1	Chairs		1	Cutting	• •	6
Beverage	••	3	Chaff-baggers		3	Darning	••	1
Binders		2	Checking-apparatus .		1	Delivering goods	•••	1
Bleaching		1	Chemicals		6	Digger, rotatory		1
Blight-destroying	•••	1	Chimney-cowls		1	Digging potatoes	••	7
Blind-roller	••	1	Chimney-sweeping		1	Disinfecting	• • •	2
Boats, &c	•••	3	Churns		3	Displacement of liquids	••	1
Boilers		6	Cigarette-case		1	Diving-dresses	• •	1
Book, account	• •	1	Cleaning-rails		$2 \parallel$	Doors	• • •	4
Book-stand, &c	••	1.	Clips		3	Drains	•••	1
Boots and shoes	• •	5	Clipping horses, &c		1	Dredging	• • •	8
Bottles		1	Closets		4	Dressing flax	••	35
Bottling	••	2	Coin-freed machines .	• , -	4	Drills		1
Boxes	••	2	Commode		1	Driving pipes and piles		6
Brakes	••	5	Compass, mariners' .	.   ]	1	Electric belt	••	1